

## Weekly Report

### Auxiliary Services Division:

- The Newark Police Communications Division is looking for individuals interested in becoming a police dispatcher. Anyone interested in applying is encouraged to visit <https://cityofnewarkdeemployees.munisselfservice.com//EmploymentOpportunities/JobDetail.aspx?req=2023&sreq=15&form=GEN&desc=COMMUNICATIONS%20OFFICER%20I> for additional information.

### Administration Division:

- On Friday, February 10<sup>th</sup>, Chief Farrall, Deputy Chief Feeney, and Lt. Rubin met with several local church leaders along with members of the Newark Branch of the NAACP. Discussed was Newark Police Department's ongoing diversity recruiting efforts as well as other key topics. Chief Farrall is committed to strengthening NPD's relationship with all community-based organizations throughout Newark.
- On Friday, February 16<sup>th</sup>, officers from the Administration Division will attend a career fair hosted by the University of Delaware.

### Criminal Investigations Division:

- Detectives are attempting to locate a suspect in reference to an active warrant for Burglary Third Degree and related offenses. The burglary occurred on February 6<sup>th</sup>, 2023, at Roots Natural Kitchen located at 129 East Main Street. Staff at the restaurant advised that a male suspect entered the rear of the business through an unlocked door, removed money from the office, and fled the area. A review of surveillance video identified the suspect. More information can be found at <https://newarkdepolicepress.com/> and anyone with information about this incident is asked to contact Det. T. Gerasimov at (302)366-7100 extension 3474 or [tgerasimov@newark.de.us](mailto:tgerasimov@newark.de.us).
- Detectives are investigating a burglary that occurred at 896 Liquors located at 1017 South College Avenue, on February 12<sup>th</sup>, 2023 at approximately 0130 hours. Officers responding to a burglary alarm activation at that time, discovered one of the business' windows broken. An investigation determined that unknown suspect(s) entered the store and removed property belonging to the business. Anyone with information about this incident is asked to contact Det. P. Keld at (302)366-7100 extension 3106 or [pkeld@newark.de.us](mailto:pkeld@newark.de.us).

### Special Enforcement Division:

- During the week, the Traffic Unit will conduct traffic enforcement at various locations throughout the city. Traffic studies will be conducted on Beverly Road and Country Club Drive.
- Last week, Animal Control Officer Vickers coordinated with Aetna HH&L to get a pet rabbit out of an HVAC system within a residence. The rabbit was not injured.
- Lt. D'Elia has begun coordinating planning efforts with partner agencies for the upcoming Newark Half Marathon in March.
- All officers of the Special Operations Unit are still re-assigned to the Patrol Division to cover staffing shortages.